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Temporary Hitch In Closing Contract Probably Is Adjusted.

Carleton County Placed at Disposal of Mr. R. L. Borden.

British Columbian May Take Judge Killam's Place in Supreme Court.

respondence Associated Press.

TTAWA, Jan 19.—Sir William Mulock, answering Hon. Mr. Foster, explained the hitch regarding the proposed Mexican steamship serie. He said last December the Mexigovernment had informed him that amount of money demanded for the cific service was disappointing to mand suggested that the contract uld stand over for a month until they ld consult an eminent engineer at time absent from the country. The proposed a second subsidy at \$50, each, making a total subsidy of

roof of the new fat stock show ed this morning under the weight w. The loss to the city will be

Senate committee chairmen are

The Senate committee chairmen are; Senator Watson, international economy; Senator Drummond, banking; Senator Casgrain, railway; Senator Cloran, private bills; Senator Gowan, divorce; Senator Young, standing orders. Gacconi, the Italian murderer of Montreal, has been reprieved for a week. Edward Kidd resigned his seat as the member for Carleton today. It was handed to the speaker about noon. The writ for the new election will be issued Saturday. Saturday.

It has been decided to make two prov

es in the Northwest in the autonomy.

The dividing line will run north

and south.

It is reported that an effort will be made to get a British Columbian to take the place of Mr. Justice Killam on the Supreme court bench when the latter goes to the railway commission. Chief Justice Hunter or Mr. Justice Duff are mentioned in this connection.

The minister of marine has decided to delay giving his decision on the sockeye close seasons until Richard Hall arrives here to attend a conference on Friday the 27th.

EMPEROR WILLIAM BUSY.

His Majesty's Active Interest in Coal Strike Has Good Results.

Berlin, Jan. 19.—Emperor William's ctive interest in the coal strike and Berlin, Jan. 19.—Emperor William's netive interest in the coal strike and his personal exertions to settle it have produced a good effect on the Bourse. Today His Majesty received a member of the firm of Hancl, one of the powerful mining families of the lower Rhine, and sent for Privy Councillor Tueg, of Oberhausen, who successfully managed the Duesseldorf exhibition of 1903. Herr Tueg is both a coal mine owner and a steel manufacturer of great wealth and great influence among industrial leaders. The attitude of the mine owners annoys the government as much as the hasty action of the strikers in quitting work without giving the legal fortnight's notice. Among the petty requirements of some of the mines is a rule that miners must click their heels together and stand at attention when the overseers approach.

The Northwest them

Compulsory "Parochial" Imperialism.

to Treatment of Emigrant

Canadian Associated Press Cable.
London, Jan. 19.—Rev. Sommerville, rector of St. George the Martyr, Southwark, one of the poorest parishes in London, writes to the Standard in support of "parochial imperialism." He says, though doubts if the state would tolerate it, some element of compulsion would seem necessary to emigrate the swarm of youths who now perambulate the streets, picking up a living as best they can, to the country west of Winnipeg. He thinks there should be a system of state-aided emigration.

Miss Miles, of the Fulham board of guardians, gave an illustrated lecture of her visit to the homes of the children sent out to Canada. She gave a glowing description of their condition and greatly regretted that false reports should have been sent to papers regarding bad treatment by farmers.

The following is an extract from a letter from Mr. Chamberlain to Joseph Deeley, the tariff reform candidate for Sealing: "I do not myself recognize any difference in principle between Mr. Bai-four and myself. If we differ at all it is only on the question of methods and tactics. But Mr. Balfour has advocated

ATTEMPT CZAR'S LIFE

Emperor Nicholas and Entire Imperial Family Have a Most Miraculous Escape During Ceremony of Blessing the Neva.

A CANNON LOADED WITH GRAPE

Fired Point Blank Into the Crowded Chapel on the River's Brink But Fortunately With But Little Damage-Authorities Claim Incident Was Accidental.

T. PETERSBURG, Jan. 19.—The ceremony of "blessing the waters" this morning was accompanied by this morning was accompanied by an event more mysterious, unprecedented and extraordinary than any afforded by the annals of Russian instear. For a Russian sovereign to fall the performance that the Emperor should narrowly escape death by a shot from his own artillery while he was engaged in a solemn religious rite, surrounded by priests of his church, is so difficult to realize as to be almost ineredible, yet this is what happened today and the Russian public is left wondering and mystified.

By the merest chance the imperial family escaped uniourt, but the possi-



Scene in St. Petersburg Where the Shooting Took Place.

In the state procession of the imperial chapel, an imposing train of court of ficials, the Emperor escorted the Downager Empress, and Grand Duke Alexis escorted the Empress, other members of the imperial family following in order of rank, the ladies of honor wearing picturesque national zostames.

At 1 o'clock, the divine service being concluded, the procession reformed and returned to the Winter palace. The ladies took places at the windows, while the Emperor, Grand Dukes and gorgeously robed clergy descended for the open-air ceremony. The entire length of the palace was guarded by soldiers.

Peace river, but will turn south of from Edmonton to go by Yellows head, reaching the coast at Bute the dipid the dipid the dipid to struck the chapel of the palace. Two struck the chapel of the palace. Two contents the Emperor was standing. The bullets had a very low velocity.

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CHINESE INTEGRITY.

cously robed clergy descended for the open-air ceremony. The entire length of the palace was guarded by soldiers. Behind these the populace was massed in enormous numbers on the ice and every point affording a view of the quays, bridges, monuments, etc. In a few minutes the picture was filled in as na imposing procession of priests, choristers, standard-bearers, members of the imperial family and the generals slowly took their places on the pavilion and platform, from the Emperor downwards, all bareheaded.

At the conclusion of the solemn ceremony, the metropolitan having dlapped the cross in the water, the Saints Peter

"The two which entered the chaptel fell harmlessly to the floor.

"The discovery During the ceremony of the bless-indows: "During the ceremony of the bless-independent one and name of Romanoff, who was severely wounded. As the pale conducted by Grand Duke Sergius Michaelovitch, inspector-general of artillery. It has not yet been to was due to premeditation."

From an authoritative source it appears that doubt of the existence of a plot arises from the fact that grape was distributed to the battery in anticipation of possible trouble with rioters, the most alarming reports having reached the authority continues."

RUSSIANS BOUND HOME.

The North Sea Outrage

Opens Public Sessions at

Several Members of Japanese Legation Present at the Sitting.

British Agent Reads Charges and Russia Puts in Reply.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—The international commission appointed to enquire into the North Sea incident began its public essesions this afternoon. The meeting of the commission was held in the state dining hall of the D'Orsay palace (foreign office), which was crowded with high officials, diplomats and representatives of the pays of the private. ed with high officials, diplomats and representatives of the navy of the principal maritime powers. Several members of the staff of the Japaneso legation were among the diplomats present Admiral Fournier (French) presided with Rear Admiral Beaumont (Great Britain) and Admiral Von Spaun (Austria), at his right, and Vice Admiral Davis (United States), on his left. A large force of British counsel and advisers was at the right of the court. Baron Taube, the Russians were in the left part of the hall.

Hugh O'Biorres of the Ruitick was

Thussians were in the left part of the hall.

Hugh O'Bierne, of the British embassy, agent of Great Britain before the international commission, read the charges, which consist of 17 specifications minutely setting forth the attack on the Hull fishing fleet. It was specifically declared that no Japanese torpedo boats and no Japanese whatever were among the fishing fleet, and that no Japanese warships were anywhere in the North Sea.

Baron Taube read the Russian reply, which specifically declared that two strange boats appeared near the Russian squadron, which the searchlights disclosed to be torpedo boats. Thereupon fire was opened, the torpedo boats moving off and later disappearing. The Russian stantement further asserted that Admiral Rojestvensky was absolutely compelled to act as he had done in order to destroy the torepdo boats which had attacked his squadron.

The principal charges of the British statement follows:

"On the night in question there was

statement follows:
On the night in question there was not any warships whatever in the neighborhood of the fishing fleet except those

of the Russian navy.

"No warships had been seen by the fishing boats since a long time previous.

"None of the boats making up the fishing fleet carried any kind of material of war.

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"No Japanese warships of any kind
whatever were at that moment in the
North Sea.

"There were not any Japanese on the
galance hears."

"There were not any Japanese on the fishing boats.
"The Russian fire continued after their searchlights clearly showed the vessels were peaceful fishing boats.
"None of the Russian ships gave, or averaging a greater than

The statement concludes that the attack was without any provocation upon pacific boats pursuing their usual and rightful avocation.

The following are principal points of the Russian reply:

"At about midnight the flagship Kniaz Noutoff saw the outlines of two small boats, which approached with great speed, with all lights extinguished, directly toward the battleships.

"When the two suspicious boats came within range of the Russian search-(Continued on Page Two.)

Mine Workers Against Socialists

United American Order in the Conference Condemns Socialism.

President Mitchell in Anger Defends Leaders of Civic

Indianapolis, Jan. 19.—The united mine workers of America in convention have again refused to allow the organ ization to be committed to socialism.

The anti-socialist faction was led by Patrick Dolan of Pittsburg, John Walker of Illinois, who has been the floor leader of the socialists, also took the position that the miners should not engage in politics as an organization. President Mitchell took the floor and President Mitchell took the floor and defended the leaders of the civic federation when a delegate named Randall, from Wyoming, shouted that the leaders were Grover Cheveland, whom every laboring man detests; Frank Robins, of Pittsburg, who has made millions by beating down his miners, and Andrew Carnegie, whose hands are red with the blood of Homestead strikers.

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Official Theory Causes Smiles

Public of St. Petersburg Refuse To Accept Explanation Of Shooting

Had Regular Charge Been Used Romanoffs Would Have Been Wiped Out.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 20.—(10 a. m.)— in spite of the statement that the can-ion shot yesterday which might have wiped out the whole of the Romanoff andly was the result of carelessness in caving a shotted cartridge in the breach aying a shotted cartridge in the breach of the gun after target practice, the systerious case is still under the comined investigation of the military and olice and the public seem as little instead as the authorities to accept the utilished version.

The officers and men of the battery aven or been arrested, but are confined a barracks and by the military regulators are closely under restraint, so that is impossible for the culprits to especiate of the control of the culprits to especiate of the control of the culprits of the culpride of the responsibility is determined.

cape until the responsibility is determined.

It cannot be said definitely whether the affair was an accident. The general belief is that a widespread plot did not exist, but evidences of design are so apparent that the statement attributing the presence of a loaded shell to previous target practice only brings suiles in anany quarters. It is pointed out as being highly improbable that the gun had not been eleaned for two days, and that it is impossible that a second cartifiedge could have been inserted for saluting purposes behind the first, and it certainly is a startling coincidence that the gun containing this missile should have been trained directly upon the imperial chapel.

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Whatever may be the solution, it is a strange fact that the shot came from the Bourse esplanade, on which was stationed the First Horse artillery organization of the empire and one of the most noted regiments in the whole Russian service. The officers of this regiment has included Grand Dukes and Frinces and some of the most illustrious names in Russia. Lieut-General Grippenberg was formerly an officer of the regiment and Grand Duke Michaelovitea, the chief artillery inspector of the Russian army, whose duty it is to conduct the investigation, was himself formerly coloned of the regiment.

Two investigations are proceeding independently and both are guarded with the utmost secrecy.

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indently and both are guarded with tunest secrecy. Itary experts say indication point charge consisting of grape shot beneated in a saluting gun. If the the case, probably only one man involved. Certainly if they was knestive deep-laid plot or it any of was involved it was badly direct. It is pointed out that it is hardly able that an expert artille yman default and they expert a strille yman of the could hardly early 1958. Veva. At the same time an infeation. Had directly against the appearation. Had directly against the appearation. Had the gun laid directly against the appearation. Had the gun contained a sercharge or a regular shell, the provinciant infallibly have been described, clear, however, that the saluting

last May, was indicted today by the grand jury under the section of the penal code which makes it a felony to send dynamite or other explosives to a steamship or radiroad without label or other sign of its character. It is expected that Rosseau will be extradited from Philadelphia at once and brought to this city for trial.

AMICABLY ARRANGING DISPUTE

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Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—Though both
sides are firm, developments today in
the controversy between the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and the Brotherhood
of Railroad Trainmen indicated that
an amicable settlement of the dispute
may soon be affected without resort to
extreme measures. The chance of a
break was temporarily removed by a
decision of Grand Master Lee and his
associates to send for Grand Master P.
S. Morrisey for a consultation. Upon
the latter's attitude and the result of a
conference which Mr. Morrisey and the
Brotherhood committee will have with
General Manager Atterbury tomorrow
the strike is dependent.

CHINESE CREW FIGHT.

New York Police Reserves Called Out to Quell Battle.

New York, Jan. 19.—The police reserves of one of the Brooklyn police stations were called out to end a desperate battle between factions in the Chinese crew of the steamer Hindustan, lying in the Eric basin. The Cantonese tried to take away the meat rations of the Pechili faction and the latter defended themselves with capstan bars, marlin spikes and sheath knives. They were engaged in a terrific encounter when the police arrived. Hardly a' man in the crew of twenty-four escaped injury. One was removed to a 'hospital with a skull fractured by a capstan bar. He will probably die. Another was badly stabbed.

Strike Spreading.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 20.—(4:20 a. m.)—The strike situation is causing much uncasiness. There are indications of its spreading towards a general sympathetic strike. Determined efforts are being made to call out the factory workers in St. Petersburg, numbering several hundreds of thousands, including the employees of the Russian Westinghouse Company.

PACKERS INCREASE STOCK Capitalization of \$7,500,000 in 75,000 shares.

San Francisco, Jan. 19.—At special meetings held this afternoon, the stockholders of the Alaska Packers' Association by a more than two-thirds majority vote authorized the directors to increase the capital stock from \$5,000,000 in 50,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each, to \$7,500,000 in 75,000 shares of the same par value, and then create a bonded indebtedness of \$2,000,000, as proposed in the plans of reorganization submitted some time ago.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, called at the American state department today and presented to Secretary of State Hay the answer of the Russian government to the secretary's last note respecting Chinese neutrality. The Russian communication, it is stated, consists of a repetition of the matters of complaint set out in the circular note to the powers, but in this case they are supported in statements. So far none of the other powers has made response to the Russian circular note.

NEW YORK AND OTTAWA.

Albany, Jan. 19.—The New York and Ottawa Railway Company, which recently passed under the control of the New York Central, was incorporated to day with the secretary of state. The capital is \$1,150,000 and the directors are: Wm. E. Vanderbilt, J. Pierpont Morgan, R. M. Twombly, Mr. Rockefeller, James Stillman, Frederick Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, Samuel F. Barger, Wm. H. Newman, all of New York. The principal offices are in New York. The road extends from Tupper Lake, through the Adirondacks to the St. Lawrence river.

New York, Jan. 19.—Gessler Rosseau, charged with sending an infernal smachine to the Cunard dock a year ago

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ON VERGE OF A REVOLUTION.

ONDON, Jan. 20.—The London papers today, and their St. Petersburg correspondents, take the gravest view of the internal conditions in Russia. The majority express the belief that yesterday's incident was a premeditated attempt on the life of Emperor Niebolas and maintain that the strike is much more a political than an industrial movement. In short, they consider that every sign makes it apparent that the empire is on the verge of a revolution. It is alleged the St. Petersburg manufacturers have decided to reject the strikers' demands and that the orthodox priest, Father Gopon, the picturesque figure who has constituted himself the leader of the strike movement, and possesses the men's complete sympathy, threatens to march on Sunday at the head of 100,000 strikers to the Winter palace with a petition for political rights and that he will refuse to depart until the document is presented to the Emperor.

MINE MANAGER'S NARROW ESCAPE

Bullet From Would Be Assassin's Gentiles Express Appreciation Rifle Just Grazes His

Nelson, B. C., Jan. 19 .- A special to the Daily News tonight announces that Jack Roberts, president of the Silverton miners' union, has been committed for trial on the charge of attempting to myrder Montague Davys, mine manager of this city, at Silverton on the evening of the 17th by shooting at him with a

Cheek.

of the 17th by shooting at him with a rife.

The chief of provincial police, Mr. Bullock-Webster, went to Silverton on Wednesday to investigate the shooting and arrested Roberts on suspicion. At the preliminary hearing before the magistrates, a local tailor deposed that he saw Roberts fire the shot. Constable Black testified that he traced footmarks from the point of firing to the cabin door of the accused, and Mr. Davys said that Rober: had threatened to "fix him" openly on the wharf at Silverton some days ago. The foundation of the trouble was the hiring of Chinese mine cooks by Mr. Davys, he being unable to get satisfactorily white help. According to the evidence, Davys and six others, including Roberts, were in the Victoria hotel bar. Roberts left the party, who were taking a drink, when suddenly the report of a gum was heard and a rifle bullet crashed through the window, burying itself behind the bar and passing so close to Davys that he felt the sting of the only including the strain of the restrict of the restrict of the strain of the restrict of the strain of the restrict of the strain of the restrict of the party who were taking a drink, when suddenly the purying itself behind the bar and passing so close to Davys that he felt the sting of the restrict of the party was heard and a rifle of the party was heard and a

BRITISH STEAMER CONDEMNED

Tokio, Jan. 20.—(11 a. m.)—The Bri-ish steamer Rosely, which was captur-d by the Japanese cruiser Tokiwa in he Sea of Japan on Jan. 11 when bound for Vladivostock with a cargo of coal, as been condemned by the prize court

RUSSIA GIVES PARTICULARS.

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NEW YOUNG WHOLESALE REDUCTION.

Major Wood Said to Be Making Things
Lively in Yukon.

Seattle, Jan. 19.—A despatch from Dawson says that a wholesale reduction in the government force is being made in the Yukon Territory through Acting Governor Major Wood. The preventive officer's department and territorial secretary's department and territorial secretary's office laws been bolished and have been consolidated under other offices. The police will do all recording and inspector's difference in consolidated under other offices. The police will do all recording and inspecting in outlying districts and will receive applications and forward them to Duwson.

Thirty employees are being dismissed, among them all the mining inspectors and recorders.

the The North

lights they were recognized as torpedo boats. Thereupon the battleships fired.

"Thereafter a number of small fishing boats showing the required lights were observed. Precautionary measures were adopted nevertheless. There was a strong feeling of danger upon the battle-ships and the imperious duty of protecting themselves against the attack of forpedo boats obliged a continuance of the fire despite the evident risks of hitting not only the fishing boats but also the ships of the squadron itself which had arrived within the zone of fire.

"In the meantime the two torpedo boats drew off and shortly after disappeared. Fearing that some of the fishing boats were damaged, yet being certain that all danger from the two torpedo boats were damaged, yet being certain that all danger from the two torpedo boats, or possibly others, was not completely removed, Admiral Rojestvensky deemed it indispensable for the squadron to continue its route without stopping.

"Admiral Rojestvtensky, while taking into account the damage caused to infofensive fishermen, subjects of a neutral power, was nevertheless compelled to use all the means in his power to destroy the torpedo boats which a "Gardel his squadron,"

TESTIMONY IN FAVOR OF MORMONS

of Saints to the Senate Committee.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Two prominent of the legislature that elected Mr. Smoot a senator, were witnesses today

in the Smoot enquiry before the Senate commission on privileges and elections. Both women gave Senator Smoot an excelent reputation and testified that they would not vote for a polygamist. The counsel for Senator Smoot exhausted their list of witnesses here, but expect several witnesses will arrive in time for the hearing tomorrow.

Wm. Langton testified that James P. Wallis, sen., who recently gave to the commission what he alleged to be the endownent oaths, could not be believed.

Glen Miller, former United States marshal in Utah, testified that he defeated Mormon candidates in a strong Mormon district. He declared the Mormon to be fair in politics and that Mormon to the fair in politics and that Mormon officials have impartial administrations.

John W. Hughes, of Salt Lake, editor of a weekly paper, testified that the sentiment among Gentiles was that a resident Smith was a fanatic in religion, but that he was thoroughly honest and was keening the clurch out of

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Sea Outrage

City Marshal and Editor Quarrel Over Boy and Tragedy Results.

Ellis, Kas., Jan. 20—At Wilson. Kas., this morning City Marshal Tilman Stand Editor Quarrel Over Boy and Tragedy Results.

Kas., this morning City Marshal Tilman Stand Hilled Postmaster all utchison, who is also editor of a paper and then committed suicide. Tilman several days ago whipped Hutchison's coveral days ago whipped Hutchison's coveral days ago whipped Hutchison's coveral the marshal in his paper. Today they met and quarreled and the double tragedy occurred.

OPPOSE TARIFF TINKERING.

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New York, Jan. 19.—The attitude of Speaker Cannon regarding tarff revision was endorsed today by the American protective tarff league at its 20th annual meeting held here. A resolution was also adopted urging that the tariff be let alone "until such time as it shall have been clearly demonstrated by general experience and practical knowledge that changes in the schedules will be productive of a degree of benefit to the whole country that shall outweigh the disadvantages and the injuries resulting from tariff revision."

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News Notes Of The Dominion

Montreal Power Company Sued for Quarter of a Million Dollars.

Christian Scientists Charged With Monslaughter at Toronto

Montreal, Jan, 19.—Judgment was rendered today in the court of appeals for \$200,000 against the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company in favor of E. A. Robert. At the time the city was receiving tenders for lighting the streets there was considerable competition for the business. In order to shut other tenderers out of suitable water power, one of the power company's constituent companies agreed with Robert, who will be ground the power of the power company's constituent companies agreed with Robert, who will be ground the property and, if on November 30 they decided to keep it, \$250,000 additional. If they did not want it, Robert was to again take the property back, retaining the \$15,000 paid him November 30. November 30 passed without the company making any attempt to complete the purchase, but it did so on December 4, declining. Robert refused and demanded his \$250,000. This the company refused, then Robert sued, the company refused, then Robert sued, the \$15,000, alleging that its officials were not empowered to make the purchase. The judgment delivered today upholds Robert on all points. The case will be carried to the privy council.

TEXTILE MERGER.

TEXTILE MIRGER.

Some apprehension has developed as to the formation of the new merger of the Dominion Textile Company, G. E. Amyot, of Quebec, being leader. Amyot, is one of the leading shareholders of the Montmorency Company, and denies that the minority shareholders will do all the can be prevent the merger being.

MAIL ROBBER SENTENCED. Alicide W. Blodiu, a letter carrier, who pleaded guilty to rilling letters, was sentenced to three years in the penitenti-ary by Judge Choquette today. BY ACCLAMATION.

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Quebec, Jan. 19.—Arthur Lachance, dberal, was elected to the House of formons by acclamation in Quebec centre to fill the vacancy caused by the levation of Albert Malouin, the former nember, to a judgosbip.

GUILTY OF MANSIAUGHTER.

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Toronto, Jan. 19.—Sarah Goodfellow, Isabella Grant, Elizabeth Seenndow Brundette, Christian Scientist demonstrators, were adjudged guilty of manslaughter by the coroner's jury investigating the death of Wm. Goodfellow, son of the first named. All were arrested last night and remained in the cells over night, bail having been refused. Application is being made today to the High court judges for bail.

ASK FOR PROTECTION. ASK FOR PROTECTION.

ASK FOR PROTECTION.

Berlin, Jan. 19.—The Canadian Felt
Manufacturing Company has decided to
ask the government to impose a higher
duty against English felts, which, if not,
done, many manufacturers declare, owing to increased competition, will force
them to curtail the output, if not in
some cases close altogether. WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

WINNIPEG WERINGS.
Winnipeg, Jan. 19.—Carston, Alberta, post office was broken into and the safe robbed of a hundred dollars.
The Manitoba memorial asking for extension of the boundary was forwarded to Ottawa today.

READY FOR LYNCHING.

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Algoma, Out., Jan. 19.—W. Sner, Jr., who shot and killed Constable Moore yesterday, while the latter was attempting to replevy some logs in the possession of Sauer, was captured yesterday afternoon some miles from here. Had he been brought here he certainly would have been lynched, as a large crowd was waiting for him with a rope. The Suers are squatters in the middle channel, a few miles below here. The logs which Moore was attempting to replevy Belonged to the Hall Lumber Co., at Sarnia. They broke away from booms two years ago.

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ARTIST'S SUDDEN DEATH.

London, Jan. 19.—C. H. Boughton, the artist, was found dead in his stadio, Canden Hill, today where he had been working alone on a picture commenced a few days ago. A servant, whlo went to call him to lunch, found faim lying on the couch covered up with a rug. His body was already cold. He had been under treatment for several months for heart disease. It is supposed he felt a seizure coming on and lay down. Mr. Boughton's boyhood was spent in Athany, New York, but he resided in London since 1862.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 19.—George H. Boughton, the artist, who died today in London, was born in England in 1834, but came to this city when only three years old. During his boyhood he studied art without masters and opened his first studio here in 1850. He sold one of his earliest works to the American Art Union in 1853 and on the proceeds went to London for further study, where he rapidly achieved a reputation. He returned to Albany for a few months but in 1852 removed to London, where he since resided. His pictures are found in some of the most noted galleries of England and America. He always retained his interest in this city and a few weeks ago donated some color sketches to an exhibition held at the

LEARNING NEW METHODS.

Nanaimo, B. C., Jan. 19.—(Special.)— There arrived at Victoria by the las Empress a wealthy Chinese merchan who halis from Canton, and who ha just been located at Ladysmith. He i recovered.

STRIKE IN GERMANY.

Nearly a Quarter of a Million Miners Are Now Out.

Herlin, Jan. 20.—(4 a. m.)—The Vorwaerts estimates the number of strikers in the coal mining districts at 240,000. Several cases of minor disturbances are reported, such as crowds shooting at strikers are association to negotiate with the operatives being regarded as an affront to the government. The government commission has asked the representatives of the unine which is to recover the complaints in writing, which the commissions in the color of the unine which will be disturbed by the operatives being regarded as an affront to the government. The government commission has asked the representatives of the unine which interest attaches to today's sitting of the Reichstar, where a Socialist interpellation regards of brick and stone. On either side the skyscarpers rise, sheer and ragged, slashed by deep gorges and caurons in which, at those and feet below, are the exceptionary in the same and and or over them, skirting the highest peaks, and the setting and miles of the swarpers rise, sheer and ragged, slashed by deep gorges and caurons in which is a trip over the miles of the setting and miles of the formal peaks of the setting sum is not more deriver and far to the north, in almost unbody from the setting sum is not more deriver and far to the north, in almost unbody from the setting sum is not more deriver and far to the north, in almost unbody greaters and dumb-water shows a setting their black sheads on the first symptoms of a cough begin thre

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MARINE REPORT.

Tatoosh, Jan. 19.—10 a. m.—Rain; thick; south, 14 miles, Inward, four-masted sel ooner, Blakeley, towing, at 8:30 a. m. 2 p. m.—Cloudy; west, 20 miles, Inward, steamer Rainier, at 9:30 a. m. Out, steamer Edith, Outside, bound in, four-masted schooner, barkentine, Inward, schooner

THE TIDES.

MRS. CHADWICK'S BAIL.

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City To Take

Tourist Work

An Important Announcement by Mayor Barnard Last Evening.

fime Has Arrived When Corpora. tion Should Direct Association Affairs.

the report. (Hear hear.)

Beaumont Boggs, chairman of the board of school trustees, gave personal testimonay to the beneficial work being done by the association. He knew of many who had come from the Northwest and the Territories who had taken up their homes here.

A vote being taken the report was ananimously adopted.

W. G. Cameron, M. P. P., moved a vote of thanks to the directors and executive. He bore personal testimony to the good work done by the executive. It was gratifying to know that a small balance was on hand. He chought the work should be more appreciated by the citizens generally, both in a moral and financial way. It was satisfactory to know that such excellent advertising matter could be turned out in the city of Victoria.

D. R. Ker seconded Mr. Cameron's motion. The support of the citizens should be much larger than was manifect. The excentive had done fine work, and the very greatest praise was due them.

MRS. CHADWICK'S BAHL.

Cleveland, Jan. 19.—Judge Neff, in the criminal court today, fixed the bail of Mrs. Chadwick at \$20,000 on the three indictments found against her by the grand jury. As the United States is district court has fixed her bail at \$20,000 on the three indictments found against her by the grand jury. As the United States is district court has fixed her bail at \$20,000 on ust be secured by the accused woman before she is released. J. P. Dawley, her counsel, pleaded that Mrs. Chadwick had been misjudged and that when her story was told, she would be regarded in a different light. He said she was ill and should be placed in a hospital. Nathan Loeser, receiver for Mrs. Chadwick, and today that if she furnished bonds, an investigation would be commenced to ascertain whether money or securities belonging to the Chadwick estate has been placed with her bonds men to indemnify them against possible loss. Mr. Dawley said tonight that probably his client would be released on hail tomorrow. and the very greatest praise was due them.

The resolution carried unanimously. Mayor Bernard, replying, indicated that the work of the executive was withal a labor of love, though an unpleasant part of the business was the collection of subscriptions. The majority of the subscriptions. The majority of the subscriptions came from a small coterie of citizens; and, because of this feature, he had been considering the expediency of suggesting running the Tourist Association as a civic work. During the next ten days or so he would take the matter up with the council and fry and evolve a scheme. For this reason he would ask the meeting to defer the election of officers. He hoped the matter would be settled in one way or another within the next fortnight.

In closing, the mayor paid a warm tribute to the splendid work rendered the association by Herbert Cuthoer, the energetic secretary. He was essentially the right man in the right place, and he doubted if any other person could be found in the city to render similar splendid services to the association. Only those on the executive could know how really valuable Mr. Cuthbert's work had been.

Companies and Societies Seeking Incorpor-The time for receiving tenders for lease of foreshore for salmon fishing purpose as been extended to Wednesday, February

An act will be introduced at the session of the legislature to incorp. The Institute of Accountants of B. Columbia.

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ESOUIMALT

Local Company to Prosecute Salmon Fishing -- R. Hell Goes to Ottawa.

Local News.

ociation desires to intimate to the lic that it will be very glad to ree donations of old clothing at the as of the association, Market build-today and Monday and Wednesday alings.

night. Last evening the pastor preached a very interesting sermon upon the parable of "The Lost Sheep." A large choir and orchestra lead in the music, A male quartette, composed of Mr. Hicks, Mr Hammon and Messrs, Petch, sang "Where Will You Spend Eternity?" with great effect. A number of persons expressed themselves as desirons of beginning the Christian life. Tonight (Friday) the meeting will be especially for children and young people.

PERSONAL.

William Wilson returned from the Mainland last evening.
Principal and Mrs. Sipprell are over from New Westminster.
T. Gifford, M. P. P., D. S. Curtis and Dr. Walker, of New Westminster, were passengers to the Capital by the Princess Victoria last evening.
F. W. Tiffin came over from Vancouver by last evening's Victoria.
John Coghlan returned from the Mainland last evening.
W. R. Thompson was among the inbound passengers by last evening's stemer.

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William Arthur Beddee, editor of the Dawson, Y. T., World, was in the city yesterday and left for the East this morning. Among those registered at the Driard yesterday was J. W. Casey, traveling passenger and freight agent of the celebrated C. M. & St. P. line, with headquarters at Portfand, Ore. Mr. Casey is one of the old-time rallway men of the Pacilie Northwest, and has been a frequent visitor to Victoria for the past generation, and his friends are as numerous as the increase in the population during that period.
A. W. Cassels, Scattle, Puget Sound agent of 'the Michigan Central, was at the Driard yesterday.
C. A. R. Lambly, government agent at Fairview, with his wife, are registered at the Driard. Mr. Lambly is a pioneer of the great district lying between Steamous and the southern boundary of the prov-lince.

N. Y. RAILROAD IMPROVEMENTS

No Car Available—Captain Bunbury, who has been largely responsible for the arrangements for the United Service Golf Club's subscription dance at the barracks tonight, regrets to find that it will be impossible on this occasion to I secure a special car after the dance.

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MAYOR BARNARD'S PROPOSAL.

His Worship the Mayor at last evening's meeting of the Tourist Associa-tion broached a proposal for civic upbuilding and expansion which will appeal to progressive citizens and should receive the thoughtful and friendly consideration of all true Victorians. To be sure, the suggestion that the Tourist Association should disappear, or rather be absorbed by the municipal council, its functions being merged with those of the latter body, seems somewhat revolu-tionary at first glance. But where is the rational objection? The purpose and existence of both bodies is or should be identical—neither more nor less than the advangement of the city's interests by all legicimate agencies. Because the councils of the recent past have fallen into a rut of routine in which their predecessors have moved, does not condemn all future municipal boards to similar treadmill duty. Indeed depart-ture from precedent by the city council in quickened alertness to take advanof Victoria's opportunities should be hailed with gladness. It will be re-membered that when the Tourist Associations first made their bid for recog-nition in this Pacific Northwest, it was varmly urged that with live and progressive civic administrations there was neither room nor reasonable excuse for their existence. These associations hav shown that their propaganda was both practicable and profitable. It may be the necessity for such associations ends with this demonstration. It may be that the acceptance of the now wel defined and generally understood tourist association work by the city council, and presumably the addition to the standing committees of one especially responsible for the advertisement of the city and the encouragement of tourist trade, would simplify the work and minimize the working cost. This would be favorable. But especial care must necessarily be taken lest the ship of good intention be wrecked upon the rock of apathy. The mass of the progressive business community has not been in close touch with municipal politics in this or neighbor cities for some years.

The solid business men and most progressive citizens have taken practical part and interest in the tourist asso-ciations here and elsewhere—hence their success. If the same element would be-come participants in the civic government with equal enthusiasm it would be the greatest of blessings to the city. Perhaps His Worship the Mayor has

CLOSE SEASON FOR SALMON.

found a way to bring about these most desirable conditions. At all events his views are well entitled to most careful

The announcement by telegraph from Ottawa that, at the request of Mr. Geo. Riley, M. P., the Minister of Fisheries has consented to a suspension of action in respect to the suggested close seafor salmon in provincial waters, will be welcomed by all interests af-fected, which indirectly means all classes and interests in this Pacific Pro-THE OLD MINES.

While to the authors of the format in the property of the control vince. The question of whether or not a suspension of fishing is necessary for the preservation of the industry

by Mr. Hadwen in his speech on the subject was that it was possible for the district of Cowichan to make a reputa tion for fine bred sheep which would be is wide as the continent, and bring deal ers from every part of America. pointed to the prices obtained in Eng land for stock, and in Canada there was a large demand for first-class rams from the other side of the line. A few sheep of good quality owned by every farmer would make a supply that would be sought, and give the district, which is particularly well adapted for sheep raising a name. The same thing was true of other products, particularly of fruit, which had not yet come into commercial importance, but in which there were great possibilities as shown by Mr. Palmer. Throughout, the speeches had an optimistic ring which boded for good and which gave hopes of not only extended market for our products, but an active demand for land in the fu-ture, such as is now exhibited in the Okanagan district.

THE DOMINION ESTIMATES.

The Dominion estimates have been brought down and amount to \$68,664, 397. Out of that \$382,037 is appro-priated for British Columbia, including \$50,000 for subsidy for Australian mail Last year the Province contributed in customs and inland revenue nearly \$2, 750,000. That amount is, of course, inclusive of the appropriations for fixed charges for ordinary expenditure in connection with the administration of federal affairs in the Province. What may appear in the supplementary estimates

The announcement made by Mr. Jay V. Adams of the Nickel Plate, West Shore, and Boston & Maine railroads. that the members of the Traveling Pas-senger Agents Association will pay a visit to Victoria during the coming summer or autumn, is one which should be carefully noted by the Tourist Asociation and all other bodies or good itizens having Victoria's interests leart. This body of wideawake railway men, brought directly in touch with tourists of all classes, with homeseekers and with industrial investors, has it within its power to do a very great deal toward promoting travel to and prosperity within any city or district which may demonstrate its superiority of attractions. In the visit of these rail way gentlemen and that of the members of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, Victoria and the mining areas adjacent have two opportunities of mighty possibilities.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

ACCIDENTS ON STREETS.

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Sir—It would not be amiss after today's runaway accident, in which a hack with three occupants'—a woman and two children—lives were in jeopardy, and the serious injury of the driver, to draw attention to the clvic authorities through your columns of the abused privileges of allowing the clty thoroughfares to be used for purposes as hauling donkey engines and driving cattle from the steamer 'andirgs. Could this not be done during the might?

NOOTKA. NOOTKA.

Sir—In a délayed copy of the Victoria Semi-Weekly Colonist—22nd November—I notice that you state that Captain Cook gave the name "Nootka" to the sound of that name, "although the word 'Nootka" or Anything corresponding to it, is not found in the language of the Indians of the West Const." This is a mistake; and it is more than probable that Captain Cook gave the name "Nootka" on account of the repeated use the natives made of the word in his presence—Nootka, Nootks, litt, etc. I expo. and this matter in the Colonist in the past, and I have no donkit that the president of the Historical Society lately employed this explanation in his interesting lecture about the names of of the sounds and harbors of the const.

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"I have seen greener," said Afr. Edison.

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"Well, in a certain Canadian town where I was running a telegraph office in my youth, a new factory, with a very fine chapter house, was put up. I visited the factory one day to see the engine. The engine house, was put up. I visited the factory one day to see the engine. The engineer was out, and the fireman, a new handisting the engine together, I said:

"The fireman gave a loud laugh.

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"Horse-power!" he exclaimed, 'Why, min, don't you know that the machine goes by steam?"

Yese York Press.

asked.
"George Washington," answered the

yeung patriot, promptly.
"Why, no, Bobby, it was Adam."
"Oh, well," sald Bobby, who never fails to prove himself in the right, "I wasn't counting foreigners."

CARVING THE WEST.

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An exceedingly important discussion is in progress at Ortawa. The premier of the Territories and the premier of the Dominion are, with others, discussing the details of the constitution which is about to be conferred upon that vast Western country with its fairly imperial possibilities. A new Britails North America Act is being written, which will affect the destinies of a land to whose future development no man dare place a prophetic limit.

The first element which this new constitution should contain is elasticity. Whenever constitutions do any larm to the people for which they are framed, it is because of their rigidity. They cramp the free use of the faculties of the community; they bar its progress; they hamper its growth. In no field has statesmanship so signally failed as in that of prophecy. Whenever statesmen have attempted to predict the course of the future and to provide the framework to which it must accommodate itself, they have usually biundered with injurious results.

not be "cut to fit," but ought to be made large and roomy with a view to growth in a directions now undreamed of. It should not be made of iron, but of rubber. Its model ought not to be the laws of the Medes and Persians which could not be changed.

The two premiers now considering the case of the West will be wise if they do for the west will be wise if they do for the west will be wise if they do

crushed stone insures a strong, if properly made and set, and if a coating of best quality Portland cement is washed over the outside.

When gravel, small stones and sand are readily accessible, and cheaply to be had, as they are in almost all of New York's suburbs, the main expense of a concrete house is for the cement. This can be lessened by using the cheaper grades of Rosendale cement for the main walls and using the more expensive Portland cement only as a wash.

If plenty of suitable stones have been found in digging the cellar they may be used for the foundation, or the concrete construction may begin from the foundation trench and continue slowly to the roof.

The molds are either wood, or metal, with a hollow core. The object of the core is to save material without loss of strength, and to provide for an air circulation within the wall. Hollow concrete walls are cooler in the summer and warmer in the winter than a solid stone or brick wall.

Walls made in this manner may be tinted any color both inside and out by coloring the Portland cement wash. The color then cannot wear off, as it is a part of the wall. Floor beams are set in the concrete as in a brick or stone wall now. Windows, doors and frames are inserted as now.

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AN ECCENTRIC LORD.

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One of the most eccentric characters in England is Lord Grimthorpe, now nearly 90 years old, but still hale and shearty. He is a man of many fads and hobbies, and one of these is clock-making. He designed the biggest timepiece in Great Britain, the clock of the Cathedral of St. Paul, in London, and he also is the designer of the great clock in the Victoria. Tower of the houses of parliament. Doubtless it was his usefulness in this line which caused him to be elected president of the British Horological Institute. His lordship is also an ecclesiastical architect of note, and his plans have been followed in the building of churches and restoration of cathedrals. He declines any renumeration for his services, but he insists that his crest, which is a boar's head, shall be prominently displayed in the sacred edifices for which he has made designs. Thus display of eccentricity on his part is not taken altogether in good part by those whom he has benefited, but there seems to have been no serious protest arainst it. As president of the Church of England Burial Association, Lord Grimthorpe is working to abolish the embalming of corpses, hermetically sealed caskets, vaults and tombs, and to bring about the use of wickerwork coffins, which will permit the rapid dissolution of dead bodies. In this latter endeavor he has the approval of King Edward, the head of the English church. Among other tokens of Lord Grimthorpe's activity are many practical treaties on bells, watches and cleckmaking.—Leslie's Weekly.

P. O. BOX 423.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

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IN THE MATTER of an Application for duplicate Certificate of Title to al. the Estate of John Bennetts in Subdivision 4, Lot 6, Block "B", Finlayson Estate, Victoria City.

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S. W. WOOTTON, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C this 16th day of November. 1994

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NOTICE.

Re Foreshore for Flshing Purposes NOTICE is hereby given that the time for receiving tenders for leases of foreshore for salmon fishing purposes is extended up to and including Wednesday, 1st Feb-ruary, 1905. W. S. GORE.

Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works. Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 22nd December, 1904, d25

Victoria Assessment District

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial revenue tax and all assessed taxes and Income tax, assessed and leviced under the "Assessment Act, 1903," are due and payable on the 2nd day of January for the year 1905. All taxes collectable for the Victoria Assessment District are due and payable at my office, situate at the Parliament Buildings in the City of Victoria. This notice, in terms of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for traces.

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St. John's Social.—The regular fort-nightly social under the auspices of St. John's Guild was held in the school-room last Tuesday evening. An excel-lent programme was rendered, and at its conclusion refreshments were served. The remainder of the evening was de-voted to various games.

A Tempest in a Teapot.-It is learned

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The Breaking of the Liberal Ring at Dawson Has Results.

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On.
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TALES OF THE

CADI'S COURT

Indian's Intentions Were Not Violent-Where Meals Are egular.

Tom George, did not intend to do grievous bedily harm to Hays Wheeler; not so. When he took his rile from its shelf it was to fire two shots into the ground with the intention of frightening the said Wheeler from his hearth

and home.

Accordingly the charge, which if proven, would have put the said Tom George behind steel bars for many moons, was a stered to that of discharging a firearm, to wit, a 30.30 Winchester rifle, within the confines of the city. That, so the magistrate yesterday appraised it, cost six dollars. The Indian paid.

It seems that the said George did not get his rifle and go sharpshooting for Wheeler, as was reported. Wheeler had earlier been playing a tatoo on his ribs with a fence picket. This annoyed George, and when Wheeler, who had been drinking, came to enter his house, George got down his rifle and fired two shots into the ground, whereupon Wheeler took to the tall timber.

The sound of a rifle carries far at night, and when it was heard at the corner of Esquimalt and Craigflower roads a telephone messare was sent to the police, who forthwith despatched the hurry-up wagon. The beligerent braves were arrested, and a serious charge laid against George.

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Gave Judgment—Mr. Justice Martin yesterday handed down judgment in the case of Jackson vs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken. The trial was heard some time ago, judgment being reserved. The question involved was one of the settlement of accounts. His lordship give judgment for defendants, with costs.

Moral—Fill the Michael early on Sat-urday night.*

(*N: B.—"Michael," a small bottle filled with spirituous liquors, which is usually carried in the hip pocket; if the said bottle does not contain liquor, it is then termed "A Marine."—The new dictionary.)

ROUTINE BUSILESS AT HOSPITAL BOARD

A Tempest in a Tempot.—It is learned from a member of the government that there is no truth in the rumor reported by the New Westminster correspondent of a Vancouver paper that Dr. Manchester, the medical superintendent of the asylum, had been asked for his resignation owing to friction with certain other officials. There has been trouble, it seems, at the asylum, but the trouble was confined to the culinary department, being occasioned by one of the cooks of the institution. The Regular Monthly Reports Presented at Meeting Last

COMMUNICATIONS.

Hotel Difficulty—Within the past souple of days troubles have eventuated in connection with the management of the Victoria botel. Edward Gave, the existability proprietor, retiring abruptly. The story goes that business difficulties leveloped during the months in which dir. Cave acted as manager, on the retirement of E. E. Leeson, the former proprietor. These troubles culminated in the retirement from the position of manager, on Tuesday last, of Mr. Cave. The latter was immediately superseded in that post by Mr. Leeson, the owners of the hotel property putting that gendeman in temporary charge until the angle has been straightened out.

Trades and Labor Council, wrote ex-pressing satisfaction in regard to the mistake which occurred in changing the room furnished by them through

The matron reported the following donations gratefully received: Mrs. B. W. Fearse, evergreens; Mrs. Dunsmuir, evergreens; Miss Gleason, 2 bottles wine; Miss E. Davies, cut flowers and magnzines; Miss Wolflaston, cut flowers; King's Daughters, vases, glasses and feeding cups.

Love Affair." The following interesting programme was also rendered:
Duet, Mrs. Wilkinson and Mrs. Corfield; song, Arthur Nightingale; song, Mrs. Furlong; banjo solo, Mr. Smith; song, Mrs. McPherson; recitation. Mr. Thompson; song, R. Bazett, Miss Nightingale, Mrs. Corfield, Mr. Smithingale, Mrs. Corfield, Mr. Smith, Mrs. Furlong, Major MacFarlane and Mrs. Basett also contributed acceptably to the programme.

Major MacFarlane acted as chairman. augazines; Aussexing's Daughters, vases, glasses ending cups.

The resident medical officer reported the total number of cases treated during the month as 133, total number of patients admitted 80, total number of free patients, 78; days stay 19, 59; daily average, 62.17.

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The steward reported the following donations: Times and Colonist, advertisements for Xmas donations: Weiler Bros., loan of crockery; Mr. A. Burt, 1 box apples, 5 los., jam; the Victoria Phoenox Brewing Co., 2 dozen lager beer; Mrs. R. Finlayson, 25 lbs. roast beef; Mrs. R. L. Goodaeve, 15 lbs. ursey; Mrs. Chungrunes, 12 lbs. goose; Mr. L. Goodaeve, 15 lbs. urkey; Mrs. Rocke Robertson, 4 dozen navet oranges; Mr. J. D. McNiven, M. P. P., 10 lbs. turkey; Mrs. F. M. Rogers, 10 lbs. turkey; Mrs. F. M. goose; Mrs. J. W. Troup, 1 box Japanese oranges; Frown c Cooper, 15 fbs. turkey; Mrs. H. D. Helmcken, 8 lbs. goose; Mrs. J. W. Troup, 1 box Japanese oranges; Fell & Co., 5 lbs. table raisms, 10 fbs. figs; Mr. F. Fointe, 1 box pears, 1 box apples; Mr. Tointe, 1 box apples; Hall & Co., 1 sack gran, sugar, 25 lbs. turkey; a triend, 2 bottles portwine; W. J. Savory, jar of chier; R. S. Day, 12 lbs. goose; D. W. Hanbury, 1 frunt cake; Mr. Russell, 500 tunp buibs; Fallow & Johnson, 2 bulbs.

The finance committee reported that accounts for December amounting to \$2,144.43 were examined and approved for payment. Also that salaries for the month, amounting to \$907, were paid on date due. The total days' stay for December was 1,939 and the salaries for the month, amounting to \$907, were paid on date due. The total days' stay for December was 1,939 and rue salaries for the month, amounting to \$907, were paid on date due. The total days' stay for December was 1,939 and rue salaries for the month, amounting to \$907, were paid on date due. The total days' stay for December was 1,939 and rue salaries for the month, amounting to \$907, were paid and accounts payable gave an av

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knives.

The resident medical officer reported that the hospital had been presented with two ambulatory wheel chairs from the Daughters or Pity, which were of great service to convalescent patients. A vote of thanks was tendered for this gift.

Other routine business was transacted. The meeting then adjourned.

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Coming Autumn.

At the last meeting of the association held in the City of Mexico in December set, it was decided, Mr. Adams said, that helr annual convention for the year 1905 should be held in Portland, Oregon. After he business of the convention has been ransacted the delegates will visit as much of the Pacific Northwest as the time of nembers will permit. Representatives of hee Pacific Coast Steamship Company lave agreed to place the S.S. Spokane at the disposal of the party, who will take in he Sound cities as guests of the company.

Mr. Adams explained that notification would be given of the date of their visit to Victoria, and the duration of their stay in this city.

NAVAL HOSPITAL SOON TO CLOSE

Will Be Abandoned February 1 Desirable New Home for Aged and Infirm.

At a special meeting of the city ceancil, held yesterday morning, the question of the new Home for the Aged and Infirm was discussed in an informal fashion, and it is understood that a suggestion was offered that overtures be made to the imperial government looking to the acquirement of the mayal hospital property. It was assumed that in the event of the abandonment of that property absolutely it would be available for another purpose apart from any connection with the abandonment of that property absolutely it would be available for another purpose apart from any connection with the analy, and though situated outside the city limits could easily be made a desirable flome for the old men. Through the passing of the bylaw which was voted, on at the recent municipal elections, the council has at its disposal the sum of \$12,000 for the purpose of acquiring a new home. A site which is prominently mentioned in connection with the proposed change is that of the Jackson homestead on Hillside avenue.

The conclusion that the naval hospital property would shortly be available for such use as suggested is shown to lave been justified by the following letter just received by His Honor the Lieut. Governor from the Commodore, which explains the situation in no uncertain terms:

H. M. S. Bonaventure at Esquinally,

certain terms:

H. M. S. Bonaventure at Esquimalt,

18th January, 1905.

Your Honor: I have the honor to
inform you that the royal naval hospital here will be vacated by 1st February uext, and that, should any of the
local 'or provincial authorities desire
the use of the buildings and land, the
Admiralty would probably be willing to
lease them on payment of a very moderate rental. I have the honor to be,
Your Honor's obedient serran.

(Sgd.) JAMES C. GOODRICH,
Commodore.

Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, K.C.M.G. Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS,

Mrs. W. R. Sutherland, St. Andrews, Man., writes: "I was stricken with paralysis and lost power of the tongue and left leg. For six months I obtained no relief either by doctors' prescriptions or other medicines. My husband got me Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, which has revitalized my nerves and given me full power of the paralyzed parts. I am strong and well now, thanks to this great medicine."

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Government Offers Reward of \$250 — Systematic Search continues.

IN THE WOOD

Mayor Planta, of Nanaimo, was in vincial government with respect to the tragedy which has darkened the homes of Messrs. Rogers and Jones of the Colliery City, and which today seems no nearer solution than a week and a half ago. The Nanaimo City Council has offered a reward of \$250 for the recovery of the bodies off the missing children, either dead or alive, and the province was asked to supplement this reward. The matter was submitted by the attorney-general to the executive council, and it was decided to do as suggested. The government will also give \$250 reward under the same conditions as prescribed by Xanaimo. Superintendent Hussey will also visit Nanaimo and assist in the direction of further and more systematic search.

In connection with the case of the long missing children, the Colonist's Nanaimo correspondent wired yesterday:

"Police investigation proves that the footprints discovered at Southfield are not those of the missing Jones and Rogers children. The girls' parents say the eldest child wore spring heels, while the smaller one had heels on her shoes, while wax impressions of the footprints show the very opposite. Consequently the prints must be old ones of other children, as the place is very often frequented. The popular belief that the bodies will be found in the swamp at Southfield was shown by the large muber of searchers there today. Hundreds of men are still persistently exploring the swamp. Small boats have been vincial government with respect to the which has darkened the homes

It is generally believed that search

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A VISIT TO CUBA.

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ASSOCIATEON FOOTBALL

The Island league match which was artestoral united and the Egeria has been definitely postponed as the sailors are united as the completed for the Capal-Victoria West game.

The Island league match which was cheduled to take place at the Canteen rounds yesterday afternoon between the izeria and Tonaucharre elevens was not lyaed, as the Egeria men could not get way.

BASKETBALL.

nother Victory.

a West intermediates were
in their latest engagement.
I the J. B. A. A. Intermediates of 18-13. The J. B. A. A.

counts down well, and play
to the last
thought

Hill vs. Smith.
erable Interest is being aroused in ound boxing contest which is to ce at the Savoy theatre on Thursmary 26, between Collie Hill of and Kid Smith of San Francisco. Trived here on Wednesday's boat, nied by his trainer, Gleeson, and went into training. He is a very oking young fellow, trim and well dhe should give an excellent act himself. He does not underrate have a very serious contest. In arc-training hard and failfully, will be in the best possible content in the right of the contest. They er the ring at 122 pounds. Smith seen every afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Savoy theatre. Bobby of San Francisco will meet the

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Odd Fellows' Ball at A. O. U. W. Hall
Proves Highly Enjoyable.

The annual ball of lodges 1, 2 and 4, 1, O. O. F., and of the sisters of the Rebekah degree, was held in the A. O. U. W. hall last night. The dancing space was taxed to its utmost capacity and a large member of spectators watchight and proposed that toolonel Henry W. Savage, Mrs. Fiskq and David Belasco were to jow forces with Daniel Frohman in oposition to the so-called "theatrical trust." It was also told that Charles Frohman contemplated a combination carried a lung walking stick. The pretitiest lady's costume was the delicate cream colored dress with a blue sash of a dark-cyed lady from the Mikado's picturesque land. The music was supplied by Mr. J. Fawett and Miss Heater. The cocynitices were as follows: No. 1 lodge, J. 67man contemplated a combination will be formed that includes any of these people. Seen as a farm at the head of her own company, epening February 8ch in which she will be seen as a prim New England girl employed as a bookkeeper by a New York firm. Mr. Brady thinks to play her annual New York engagement, in March.

The Russian minister of anance has raised the question of the creation in Russian of the world's 24 greatest mountains have never been climbed.

be something out of the ordinary and a surprise to her friends and admirers.

Charles Frokman's next production will be an adaptation from the French by Paul Potter. Miss Marie Doro, who seered so heavily in "Grauny" at the Lyceum theatre with the late Mrs. Gilbert, will act the leading female role. The play, which was originally present ed at the Paris Gymnase theatre, is in four acts, and tells of the life of a young circus girl, Friquet by name. Miss Doro will be seen as the girl.

The Lyric theatre is closed until Sat-

The Lyric theatre is closed until Sat riday evening, when Jefferson A. An elis starts his engagement in comic opera "Fantana," which has the coord of 150 performances in Chicago

age in its music, if prestre and production.

The continued attractions at the theatres are: "H ampty Dumpty" at the New Amsterdam, "In Newport" at the Liberty; "Lome Folks" at the New York, "Brobes in Toyland" at the Majestic, Robert T. Haines at the Berkeley Lyceum, "Siberia" at the Acadeany, Fritzi Scheff at the Broadway, David Warfield at the Bjou, Maude Adams at the Empire, "Woodland" at the Herald Square, Violet Allen at the Knickerbocker, Ethel Barrymore at the Hudson, Charles Wyndham at the Lyceum, Francis Wilson at the Criterion, "The Sho-Gun" at Wallack's, "The College Widow" at the Garden, Richard Golden at the Fourteenth Street theatre, Lillian Russell at the Casino, Edward Terry in "Sweet Lavender" at the Princess, and Mrs. Fiske at the Manhattan.

Thomas Jefferson, who has for sevand Mrs. Fiske at the Manhattan.

Financial Notes.—The receipts of the White Pass & Yukon railway for the week ended December 14 were \$8,200. Tyce Copper shares were 1-16 better at 24%, when the last English mail left. The gross earnings of the B. C. Electric Railway Company for November were \$82,025, an increase of \$9,682. The working expenses were \$43,539, an increase of \$1,372. The largest gains were made by Vancouver, the railway earnings showing an increase of \$3,947, and the lighting of \$1,634.

o' \$3,917, and the lighting of \$1,634.

Dominion Exhibition.—Apropos of the aritation of secure for British Co'imbia fibe Dominion exhibition grant of 1905, the following from a New Westminster correspondent is of local interest: The executive of the R. A. & I. Society hopes that there is still a fighting chance that the Dominion government will reconsider its decision not to give any grant for a Dominion exhibition, and yesterday Manager Keary wired Mr. J. B. Kennery, M.P., House of Commons, Ottawa: Great disappointment and Indignation at government not giving exhibition grant to province this year, On public statements made by Senator Templeman we had already commenced preparations and incurred considerable expense. It would have given an impetus to agriculture generally over British Columbia to have obtained grant. Cannot you induce authorities to reconsider; of vital importance to us."

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Victoria, British Columbia, on Thurs the 5th day of January, 1905, at the of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for

heur of eleven of clock in the local and the purpose following:
Appointing and ordering the periods of time in each year for the holding of the half-yearly general meetings of the shareholders, which meetings shall be called "ordinary meetings."

On the property of December, 1904.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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ARTHUR KEAST, Deceased.

I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the license held by me to sell by retail Wines and Spirituous Liquors on the premises known as the Commercial Saloon, situated on the corner of Doughas and Cormorant streets, in the city of Victoria, B. C., to James Stuckey.

ALFRED WOOD.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof for an Act enabling Celeste Joly of London, England, Inventor, and the Light Traffics Company, Limited, of Victoria, B. C., to apply for the Issue of a Canadian Patent of new and useful inventions known as the Calliet and Mono-Rail Portable Railway System, whereof Celeste Joly is the Patentee in the United Kinguom of Great Britain and Ireland and various foreign countries, notwithstanding the lapse of one year from the Issue to him of the patents aforesaid.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 31st day of

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Private Bills Notice.

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The time limited by the Rules of the House for receiving petitions for private Bills will expire on the -9th day of February, 1905.

Bills must be presented to the House not later than the 2nd day of March, 1905.
Reports from Committees on Private Bills will not be received after the 9th day of March, 1905.

Dated this 31st day of December, 1904.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

The Pine Creek Power Co., Ltd.

The fourth annual general meeting of the shareholders of THE PINE CREEK POWER COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 20 Board of Trade Building, Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C., at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 24th day of January, 1905.

Jary, 1905.
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The movement of —loes was hesitating and irregular the level fluctuating constantly in both directions throughout the day. The violent advance in Reading insteading of proving as incitement to the buying of stock, developed into a positive different factor. When Reading was let back and quiet somewhat, prices were pushed upwards at some other point, and efforts made to revive the animation of the market. At the same time the way in which the prosperity of the anthracite trade and the great earnings by the coalers were enlarged upon made a diversion of the speculations into other coalers the easiest resource for market leaders. The movement turned first into Ontario & Western, and then into the Eries, Amalgemated Copper enjoyed an early advance on the strength of the dividend disbursements by a subsidiary company, and the stock was under pressure on reactions with the rest of the market. Besides the misexpectation of corresponding at the decision of corresponding at the decision with the rest of the market. Besides the missivings aroused by the fears of trouble amongst a short interest in Reading, the strength of trainmen on the Pennsylvania rallway caused an undertone of anxiety through the whole market. Brooklyn weakened on the report submitted to the large outlay which would be required to secure the effective operation of the system. This movement and pressure against

ARTHUR KEAST, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of the late Arthur Keast, of Victoria, B. C., who died at Victoria aforesaid on the 24th day of August, 1904 (Administration of whose Estate was granted at Victoria, B. C., to Hubert Keast, of Duncans, B. C., by Letters of Administration, dated the 26th day of October, 1904), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims; to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Administrator, on or before the 20th day of February, 1905, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator has then had notice, and he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or whose claim the said Administrator has make the closing easier.
There was a broad and active demand
r bonds of practically all grades, and the
lees were generally driven upward; total
les, par value, \$8,005,000. United States
nds were unchanged on the last call. CLOSING PRICES.

Administrator has then had notice, and had ministrator had be liable for the assets or an part thereof so distributed to any perso or whose claim the said Administrator had not had notice at the time of distribution Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 17th da of January, 1905.

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Ot 30 Langley Street, Victoria, B. C., Schieltors for the said Administrator Hubert Keast. MARKETS.

MONEY MARKETS.

New York, Jan. 10.—Close: Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4½ per cent. Sterling Exchange strong at \$4.87.25 to \$35 for \$4.87 to \$4.88 t

London, Jan. 19.—Consols for money 88 5-16; for account 88%. METAL MARKETS. London, Jan. 19.—Lead £12 17s. 6d. New York lead \$4.60.

Boston, Jan. 19.—The local copper market

New York, Jan. 19.—The Northern Paclific Railway Company today declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent. and an extra of 14 of 1 per cent.

New York, Jan. 19.—The directors of the Amalgamated Copper Company today declared the regular quarterly dividend of ½ of 1 per cent, and an extra dividend also of ½ of 1 per cent.

This is the first time within three years at the dividend has exceeded the rate 2 per cent. per annum.

London, Jan. 19.—The rate of discount the Bank of England was unchanged day at 3 per cent.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, Jan. 19-8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS.

An ocean low barometer area is crossing this province; it is causing southerly and westerly winds and milder weather. Rain has been general west of the Casades and snow between the ranges and in articles of Alberta.

TEMPERATURE.

Friday:
Victoria and vicinity: Winds mostly westcrly and southerly; partly cloudy, with
showers tonight or on Saturday.
Lower Mainland: Unsettled and iniid, with
occasional rains.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

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Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., neon and 5 p. m.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19.

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5 a.m. 40 Mean 43
Noon. 48 Highest 47
5 p.m. 45 Lowest 39
The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a.m. 4 miles north.
Noon. Caim.
5 p.m. 12 miles west.
Average state of weather—Showery.
Rain—17 inch.
Suashine—30 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed. 30.016
Corrected. 30.041
NEW WESTMINSTER.

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NOTICE

NOTICE—I have not been connected with The People's Loan and Deposit Conpany since the 25th of July, 1904, for reasons that will be obvious to any contract-holder in the Dominion Home Building Association, who will take the Ilberty to interview the manager of said company, who is at present in the neighborhood of Victoria and Vancouver.

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Funeral services will be held at the par lors of the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Com-pany, Government street, on Sunday, January 22, at 4 p. m. The remains wit then be forwarded to Scotland for burial the family vault at Cockensie.

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Ancouver Island Flockmasters' Asso-iation.

Wednesday evening the society celerated the occasion of its annual meeting at Duncans, where, for the past welve years, its yearly gatherings have usen place. After a preliminary meeting for the discussion of business and the election of officers, the members relired to the Quamichan hotel, where sumptuous banquet was prepared for cir regalement. The dining hall was ettily decorated and the tables tastelly dressed. The viands were all that a epicure could desire, and the company was one of the happiest which has er assembled at the annual spreads the association.

The chair was occupied by Mr. W. H.

fft respectively sat Premier Meand Hon. A. E. Smith, United
consul at Victoria. Something
xty covers were laid, among those
t being: W. R. Robertson, ex-M.
H. Williams, R. Ventriss, Wm.
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J. W. Edgson, A. W. M.
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then and toast oneso. The function of the assert of the first and its Resident as a good friend of the assert of the country, which the further of the country which the first of the first

ing the adverses which he had been made to suffer. During the South African campaign, which evoked argus-eyed criticism from all quarters, there was no word of condemnation for the soldier, whether he came from the colonies or from the mother land. Even unfriendly critics had to admit that he had not a superior in the world in courage, endurance and discipline. Perhaps the brightest jewel in the crown which Tonuny Atkins had won was a reward of his magnanimity and gentleness toward a beaten foe. As Britishers all had reason to be proud of their navy, army and auxiliary forces.

The next toast, "The Dominion and Provincial Legislatures," evoked a very happy speech from Mr. Hayward in proposal, and was responded to by Premier McBride, Mr. John Evans, M. P. P., and ex-members of the local house in attendance. The chairman coupled with the introduction of this subject an invitation to the premier to present Mr.

edroad.

He thought the local parliament might take some credit for these things. They were endeavoring, he said, to so adjust the finances of the province as to

men, who he believed were, in the main, actuated by a desire to promote the best interests of their country. He adverted to the premier's reference to Canadian public men and said the construction of the Canadian Pacific railway was but a forerunner of the greatter confederation of the Empire embraced in Mr. Chamberlain's scheme. He hoped the premier would have a railway policy to offer when the house met, and promised his support to any meritable proposition.

Mr. C. H. Dickie and Mr. W. R.

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The next toast, "The Agricultural Resources of B.C.," evoked practical speeches from Mr. G. W. Hadwen and Mr. R. M. Palmer.

Mr. Hadwen, in opening, commented upon the standing of the Flockmasters, Association, which he said was in a more prosperous state than at any time in its history. Its membership was increasing, and its usefulness ever in the ascendant. He remarked upon the exhibits shown by the association at Victoria and New Westminster, which had won well merited recognition. In the encouragement of breeding of pure sheep, he saw the promise of great accomplishment for the district, as there was a good market for pure bred sheep, and rans. In looking toward the possibilities in this industry locally, they could well consider the conditions in Great Britain and Ontario. In Great Britain there were about 30,000,000, in Ontario about 1,000,000, and only a little over 2,000,000 throughout Canada,

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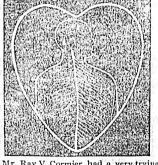
A Colonist reporter had a chat yester-day with His Worship Mayor Barnard respecting the communication received from the mayor of Toronto the other respecting the communication received from the mayor of Toronto the other day, in which it was suggested that the corporation join hands in the movement asking the parliament of Canada to amend all charters granted to telephone companies so as to declare that the poles of such companies shall not hereafter be erected in any municipality without the consent of such municipality. Mayor Barnard said that he had given the matter no special consideration, but, speaking off-hand, could not see how the Dominion government could override the act of a provincial legislature in this regard. The powers conferred on the local telephone company come from the legislature, and, as far as he knew, the municipality derived absolutely no revenue whatsoever. This, on the face of it, seemed an inequitable condition, although he was not prepared to speak definitely on the matter without further consideration. At a meeting of the streets committee the council would go into the matter quite fully. The following is the letter from the mayor of Toronto:

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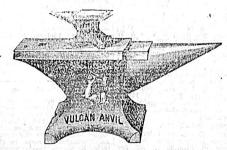
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